

**DIXON CITY COUNCIL MEETING**  
**Mid America Bank Community Center**  
**216 West 2nd Street**  
**May 18, 2015**  
**7:00 P.M.**

**1. CALL TO ORDER.**

A quorum being present the council meeting of the Dixon City Council was called to order at 7:00P.M. By Shawn Wethington, Mayor

**2. ROLL CALL.**

Present: Shawn Wethington, Marilyn Timmons, Matthew York, Betty Thilges, Lynn Whitten, and Paul Watson, (Diane Shultz absent.)

**3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**5. APPROVE AND RATIFY BILLS:**

Paul Watson moved to approve the bills the motion was second by Marilyn Timmons. All Alderman present voting aye on roll call, the motion carried

<u>Matthew York</u>	<u>aye</u>
<u>Betty Thilges</u>	<u>aye</u>
<u>Lynn Whitten</u>	<u>aye</u>
<u>Paul Watson</u>	<u>aye</u>
<u>Marilyn Timmons</u>	<u>aye</u>
<u>Diane Shultz</u>	<u>absent</u>

**4. OLD BUSINESS:**

**5. NEW BUSINESS:**

Kathy Hunter had asked address the council reference Goats, but did not show up at the meeting.

Diane Shultz had asked address the council reference Security and Inventory But was absent.

Stephane Roam requesting a Business License “The Tanning Bed”

Betty Thilges moved to approve Business License for Stephane Roam, the motion was second by Marilyn Timmons. All Alderman present voting aye on roll call, the motion carried

<u>Matthew York</u>	<u>aye</u>
<u>Betty Thilges</u>	<u>aye</u>
<u>Lynn Whitten</u>	<u>aye</u>
<u>Paul Watson</u>	<u>aye</u>

Marilyn Timmons      aye  
Diane Shultz            absent

**6. POLICE REPORT:**

Mike Plummer was not present and no report.

**7. CITY MAINTENANCE REPORT:**

**Dennis went over the Maintenance report.**

**8. CITY ENGINEER REPORT:**

John Doyle updated the council on the clean-up of the project.

**9. OPEN PUBLIC COMMENTS:**

Father Henry Ussher stated that his presence here is to thank you for the ambulance that he took home from Dixon. He stated that this great gift from Dixon Ambulance Service was presented to a clinic at Adabokrom in the western region of Ghana on May 3<sup>rd</sup> 2014. Currently it moves from place to place saving people's lives. It carries an inscription "DONATED BY GOOD HEALTH MESSENGER GHANA & DIXON, MISSOURI. Its presence in the community brings smiles into the faces of the people. I and my people are very grateful for this offer. With the presence of the ambulance from here in that community in Ghana, there appears to be a kind of relationship already established in my view. I hope this relationship will continue.. Once again, I thank you and the loving people of great city of Dixon.

Maria Mildenberger stated that a pack of dogs were around her house and one nipped at her daughters heels, she called the police department, they came, but the officer was very rude and would not put the dogs into the car, so she put the dogs into the police car. The next day or so the same dogs were back. Wanted to know what can be done about thd dogs.

Shawn Wethington stated the he thought that having Ghana as a Sister City would be a great ideal.

Paul Watson made a motion to have Ghana as a Sister City, and was second by Betty Thilges. All Alderman present voting aye on roll call, the motion carried

Matthew York            aye  
Betty Thilges            aye  
Lynn Whitten            aye  
Paul Watson            aye  
Marilyn Timmons      aye  
Diane Shultz            absent

John Thilges thanked the council and the Mayor for the letter that he is meeting with the Mayor of Waynesville to see how they got there beautification done and will report back to the council once he consolidates all his information that he can get.

Mayor Shawn Wethington stated that is all that we have for open session, and need a motion to go into closed session.

Paul Watson made a motion to go into closed session, and was second by Mathew York. All Alderman present voting aye on roll call, the motion carried

<u>Matthew York</u>	<u>aye</u>
<u>Betty Thilges</u>	<u>aye</u>
<u>Lynn Whitten</u>	<u>aye</u>
<u>Paul Watson</u>	<u>aye</u>
<u>Marilyn Timmons</u>	<u>aye</u>
<u>Diane Shultz</u>	<u>absent</u>

Paul Watson made a motion to go back into open session, and was second by Mathew York. All Alderman present voting aye on roll call, the motion carried

<u>Matthew York</u>	<u>aye</u>
<u>Betty Thilges</u>	<u>aye</u>
<u>Lynn Whitten</u>	<u>aye</u>
<u>Paul Watson</u>	<u>aye</u>
<u>Marilyn Timmons</u>	<u>aye</u>
<u>Diane Shultz</u>	<u>absent</u>

**Time 9:26pm Open Session**

**10. ADJOURNMENT:**

Paul Watson made a motion to adjourn the meeting, and was second by Mathew York. All Alderman present voting aye, the motion carried, 5 – 0 Time 9:26pm

CLOSED SESSION AS PER RSMO 610.021 FOR PERSONNEL, AND REAL ESTATE MATTERS

FOR ACCOMMODATION DUE TO DISABILITY, PLEASE CALL 759-6115 TWO WEEK DAYS IN ADVANCE, BETWEEN 8 A.M. AND 4:30 P.M.

**Minutes approved this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2014.**

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**Shawn Wethington, Mayor**

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**Jessie Fleming, City Clerk**